

NEW JERSEY FFA ASSOCIATION, INC.

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IN COOPERATION WITH NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

TO: Teachers of Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources/ FFA Advisors

FROM: Erin E. Noble, State FFA Specialist

DATE: September 9, 2008

RE: State Post-Secondary FFA Membership Dues for 2008-09

The New Jersey FFA constitution defines post-secondary membership in Article IV, Section G:

Post-Secondary Membership - Post-Secondary membership in the New Jersey FFA Association may include adult students enrolled in Agricultural Education programs at New Jersey schools having an FFA chapter in good standing. These members may participate in those activities designated for Post-Secondary Membership or Adult Students. Adult students will be ranked separately and independently from secondary membership. This level of membership is recognized within the New Jersey FFA Association only. Post-secondary members may not hold state FFA offices or be eligible to participate in Career Development Events above the state level.

Post-secondary membership dues are \$6.00 per year. This is state membership only. Membership at the state level will permit post-secondary FFA members to compete in selected New Jersey FFA Career Development Events as per our state FFA constitution.

Enclosed is a blank post-secondary FFA membership roster. If additional rosters are needed, they may be copied as needed. <u>Please make sure all home addresses are complete</u>. Correct box numbers, *nine digit zip codes*, street or road names and R.D. numbers are necessary.

Post secondary dues are due to the Office of Agricultural Education, Division of Agricultural & Natural Resources, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, 369 South Warren Street, P.O. Box 330, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0330, with Fall CDE registrations so a student may compete in Fall CDEs or before January 30, 2009.

Chapters not submitting post-secondary dues by January 30, 2009 <u>cannot</u> submit other state registrations unless accompanied by dues and roster. For example, registrations will not be accepted for the Horticultural Exposition, Spring Career Development Events or State Convention without membership dues paid.

The post-secondary membership dues check is to be made out to: **TREASURER**, **STATE OF NEW JERSEY**. Please indicate **FFA POSTSECONDARY DUES** in the memo section of the check.

All post-secondary FFA Dues must be submitted on the attached roster form.

"The New Jersey FFA Association is a resource and support organization that does not select, control or supervise local chapter or individual member activities except as expressly provided for in the state FFA constitution, bylaws or policies."

New Jersey FFA Association Post-Secondary Student FFA Member Roster 2008-09

This roster is strictly for the use of **Post-Secondary Agricultural Education students** enrolled in your program who wish to become members of the New Jersey FFA Association. It is to be understood that these students will be members of the New Jersey FFA Association and their local chapter only; no national dues are to be paid. If any of these members wish to receive the <u>FFA New Horizons</u>, their names must be on the FFA roster with the cost of the magazine subscription **only**. **PLEASE KEEP A COPY OF THIS ROSTER FOR YOUR RECORDS.** Send one copy with payment to the Office of Agricultural Education. **Make check payable to: TREASURER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 330, Trenton, NJ 08625-0330. Indicate "FFA Post-secondary Dues" on the memo line.

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